

INDEPENDENT

Walking on wind?
Surely you meant to walk on water.

LAUGHTER

Little berries cluster
orange on the cotoneaster.

LONELY

Blue berries in a solitary glade —
the deer come through this way
in autumn only.

NEVER

No matter which way I turn it,
this black box has no opening.

— Barbara Drake

Yamhill OR

BERCHTESGADEN

She tells a strange story of Hitler's love of astrology
She saw Goebels with a red weal on his face
She says Hess is an addict of heroin
And says of Himmler He still suffers from the effects of
venereal disease contracted when he was only a
lad of twenty

Coarse Goering is always cracking jokes
Contrary to popular belief, the Fuhrer is a late riser
Lunch is his favorite meal and begins with vegetable soup
He has a passion for trout served with butter sauce
Sweet potatoes usually accompany the fish
Sometimes an eagle is seen circling in the blue air
Guests assemble on the balcony before the dinner hour
Munich radio brings them Die Lustige Wittwe
Rounded forms of crockery gleam in the great hall
The Fuhrer's pockets are always filled with chocolates